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NOT THAT WE'RE SUPERSTITIOUS

BUT THIS IS— FRIDAY— THE 13TH

SO—

THE SERVICEMAN'S CORNER:

This week we have four letters from Servicemen to reprint for you. We really have five---but one of them is "bashful"---he asked that we don't print his letter. And it's such a NICE letter, too!

LETTERS FROM OUR "BOYS":

Somewhere in Japan

Hi, "Mountain Gal"!

How is the little ol' hillbilly from the mountains of Brisbane? Ah bet yo-all is jist a hoppin' along!

Well, here I am, on the other side of the world. If you want to see ME you'll have to get a shovel and dig mighty deep! They say that is ONE way of getting over here. I wonder how "they" get back????

Well, pull up a chair, 'cause I've "just begun to write"! I'm going to tell you all about my sight seeing tour across half the continent. We started at Fairfield at 11 o'clock, and flew across the ocean to Hawaii. The ocean is rightly named----it is as blue as the sky, stretching for miles with nothing to look at but water, and more water. We grew tired of looking at water, so we sang songs. I think we sang every song that has ever been written in the last 100 years---and some of them we sang at least three times. At six o'clock (Hawaiin time)--we landed on the Island. It was almost worth being in the army just to see it!

We phoned up a former Brisbane resident who is living there now. She used to be Olive Chapman, remember? She sure looked fine--all brown and healthy. She said she wouldn't trade living in the Islands for half the rest of the world!

Our next stop was Wake Island. We got there at 8 a.m. Wednesday (somewhere we lost Tuesday!) and only stayed about one and a half hours. The temperature at 8 a.m. was ninety degrees! Because we were there such a short time, we only got half-baked, instead of roasted!

We landed in Japan on Wed. night, after one of the most wonderful trips I have ever taken.

Please tell all the guys at home hello for me. So long for now, "Podner!"----write soon?

your friend, JIM WRIGHT.

* * * * * Somewhere in Korea

Dear Reeces: Just a line to let you know that I am still getting the Dyline, and appreciate it. We are about the same over here---we put up the longest floating bridge in Korea on the 21st of May, and

(continued above)

are now working on a Defile over here on the Central Front. I would like to ask you a favor--Would you please send me Ed Maxwell's and Don Walton's addresses?

As ever,

JIM RICE.

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The Pescadore's

Dear Mrs. Reece:

Just a few lines to say hello, and to thank you for sending the Dyline. Yes, I was quite surprised to learn that there are now fifty-one or more men in the armed forces from Brisbane. Considering the size of the "home-town"--that's quite a few men!

Well, Gladys--since I've left Brisbane, I've been to Japan--(which, by the way, was quite different compared to how it was in 1945)--Okinawa, and now at the Pescadore's Islands. The Pescadore's are just south of Formosa, as you may know.

We are looking forward to going to Hong Kong in the near future. I should be able to get some quite interesting pictures while there.

My wife, Rita, tells me that they are filling in the pond. I think it is about time, and I think that we are quite fortunate that none of the children of Brisbane were drowned while playing in and around that pond. Well, when I get home, the "Eye-Sore of Brisbane will be gone--thanks to SOMEONE!

Now I think I'll get off my soap-box and bring these lines to a close. Say hello to the boys for me, and thanks again for the Dyline. I think it's a wonderful job that you are doing. Keep up the good work!

"A White Hat At Sea"--

Curtis Richards.

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Japan--enroute to Korea

Dear Reeces: I decided I'd better drop a line or two to let you know where I am now, so I can get my copies of the Dyline. Don't want to miss too many of them, as I enjoy reading them so much. I'm getting farther away from home all the time, but I hope it won't be for long. So far I haven't had a "pass" so I can't tell yet how I like Japan. The food here is good, but they're working our legs off! The trip over took 17 days, by way of Guam. I'm waiting for shipping orders to Korea right now. I will write again when I know where I'll be. Sincerely--

Eddie Rolland.

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FORMER CAFE OWNERS OPEN NEW BUSINESS:

Tony and Lucille Peterson, formerly of "Tony's Steak House" here, will be glad to greet their old friends at their new place of business known as "Blue Glass Cafe" at 1225 San Mateo Avenue in San Bruno. The "Blue Glass" opened for business on Wednesday of this week, July 11th. The Petersons are residents of Brisbane, and are well-known here.

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DON'T FORGET TO LET US KNOW IF YOU WOULD ENJOY A PUZZLE & COMIC PAGE ADDED TO THE BYLINE.

THE BRISBANE THEATER presents:

Sun., Mon., & Tues; July 15-16&17:
"SAMSON AND DELILAH" with Hedy LaMarr and Victor Mature---
also "BELLS OF CORONOADO" with Roy Rogers & Trigger.

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WED. ONLY: July 11th:----
"UP IN ARMS" with Danny Kaye, Dinah Shore, Dana Andrews, etc.
also--"TEXANS NEVER CRY"-Autry.

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Thurs, Fri., & Sat.-July 19-20-21:
"ONLY THE VALIANT" with Gregory Peck as Captain Lance.
also--"THE FAT MAN" starring J. Scott Smart, the Radio "Fat Man".
KIDS! REMEMBER THE WED. & SAT. MATINEES!!

LOCAL WOMAN HAS MAJOR OPERATION:

Thelma Hickman, of the Post-office staff, is now ten tumors-an appendix, and a few other things lighter in weight these days--after a very major operation at St. Luke's Hospital on the 21st of June. On her it looks good! But how far can you go in order to lose weight? Oh yes, -----she's home now, and navigating under her own power.

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FAMOUS LAST WORDS: (courtesy of Vi Woods)-----"NOW I'VE GOT YOU WHERE I WANT YOU! YOU'VE PULLED A GUN ON ME!!"

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BIRTHDAYS:

Two of our local ladies are celebrating their umpteenth birthdays this week. Wilma Shultz will celebrate hers on July 13th; while Hazel Hooper must wait until July 17th to celebrate.

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OVERNIGHT FOR RANGERS:

Capt. Blair's Rangers went on an "Overnight" on Sunday, July 8th. We left Headquarters at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday, with 19 Rangers present. We had a good march down--about half way Capt. Blair used the "Feather Merchants" as an advance guard. When we arrived at the Divouac area, we made camp. Then the water and wood details went out. When they had returned, T/Sgt Vogler sounded mess call. After we had finished eating, we had drill and bayonet practice, with the boys taking to "cold Steel" like ducks to water! During the night the Rangers had the usual guard.

At 4:30 Monday morning, Cpl. Johnson blew First Call. Around 5:30 we left for the target range, where we had very good shooting.

We got back at 8 o'clock. Recruits Willard Gaffard and Paul Delk (our own Willy & Joe team) got their PFC stripes. Captain Blair says we had a very good Overnight, but it would have been better if the entire company had been present for duty.

submitted by T/Sgt R. Vogler.

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REPORT FROM THE P.T.A.:

Frank King is at it again. He is hard at work on his new musical production to be given a couple of months hence, for the Drisbane P.T.A. fund. Rehearsals will begin again after the 4th of July. The script is ready, the musical score settled, and the scenery designed and made by members of the cast, under the supervision of Mr. Miles.

Mr. King requests all would-be sopranos, dancers, actors, etc., to contact him by post-card, addressed "FRANK KING--DRISBANE, CALIF." giving all information about their talent and a return address so he may contact them for auditions. Many will remember last year's successful production "PLANTATION DAYS", given by members of the Drisbane P.T.A. Glee Club. This year's musical is bound to surpass it. The Club plans to give it also at six different hospitals and Army and Navy camps. A cordial welcome will be given new talent, so let's hear from you. This may be your big opportunity. At any rate, it will be lots of fun to join the bandwagon!

---Helen Hughes, PTA publicity.

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IF YOU WOULD LIKE A PUZZLE & COMIC PAGE IN THE DYLINE--PLEASE DROP US A LINE. WE WELCOME SUGGESTIONS.

LADIE'S SOFTBALL:

All ladies with children in school are cordially invited to "flex their muscles", and warm up their batting averages at Softball practices on Wednesday evenings, 7 p.m.--at the Recreation Center. As you know, the Drisbane P.T.A. has formed a ladie's Softball Team. Captains are Mrs. A. Pistohl, and Nadine Lorentz. They have challenged other P.T.A. units, so come on out and defend your town!

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TWILIGHT SOFTBALL LEAGUE:

If enough interest is shown by the adults of the community, the Drisbane Recreation Center plans to sponsor a Twilight Softball League for this group.

Entries will be taken on a team basis, and also individually. It would be preferable to sign up teams representing different organizations, but for those individuals who are not affiliated with any group, an effort will be made to form a team, or teams, to take care of them. To sign up, or to get further information, contact Mr. McGrath, or Mrs. Reynolds at the Recreation Center. The center is now open 9;30 a.m. to 5;30 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m., Monday thru Friday---and from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Saturdays.

JOSEPH McGRATH,
director, Dris. Rec. Cent

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CHILDREN STILL COME FIRST:

(Parents & Teachers Platform for 1951-52, taken from California Parent-Teacher Magazine.)

They are the future. We live in an era of uncertainty, in the midst of history making events which tend to focus our thoughts on immediate problems of national and personal survival. As citizens meeting in this time of crisis, we seek channels through which we can render service which will be of enduring value to our country. In this spirit we review the objectives of our organization and are convinced that as parents and as teachers we will perform our greatest service to the nation by working even more zealously to realize these objectives and to instill in our children those qualities which will enable them to develop into citizens worthy of the sacrifices being made to preserve their heritage of freedom.

(via Helen Hughes, PTA publicity

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FORMER RESIDENTS VISIT HERE:

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Germaine, now living at 27 Wheat Street in San Francisco, received a dinner invitation from tenants at their Brisbane home, 626 Sierra Point Rd. The tenants, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Steele, played host and hostess to their "landlords" at a Sunday dinner last Sunday, July 8th.

While here, the Germaines also visited the Edw. R. Whitsons of San Benito Road--Mrs. Jack Gordon, Mrs. Elmer Hartman and baby--all of the Sierra Point Road address. The Germaines had a wonderful time back in Brisbane, and said it was like "Old Home Week"--with even the weather busting out all over with sunshine!

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HAS SERIOUS OPERATION:

Mrs. Al Nelson, of the Shoe-Repair Nelsons, is home again, after a serious operation performed at St. Mary's Hospital. She is now up and around again--but taking it "easy".

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NEW BRISBANE RESIDENT:

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jans, of 263 San Benito Road, are the proud parents of a daughter, born June 23rd.

REMEMBER ME????

The AVENUE BARBER SHOP is back in business again----

Your old friend FRANK HOWARD is waiting to welcome his old customers at his new address, which is----

460 SAN MATEO AVENUE---
SAN BRUNO, CALIFORNIA.----
why don't you come down and see me--sometime?????

ANOTHER NEW RESIDENT:

Little Jane Marie Dixon, the very new little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Dixon, has enlarged a well-known Brisbane family by one more. Mrs. Dixon will be remembered as the former Helen Fairbanks who operated the beauty parlor in the rear of the Brisbane Drugstore some years ago. Mrs. Dixon is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fairbanks, and the sister of Mrs. Frances Gilman---all of Mariposa Street.

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NEW YORK VISITOR:

Visiting the Frank King's of the Luxury Cleaners is Frank's brother Sol and family, of New York City. They will be here for two weeks before motoring back to the eastern city.

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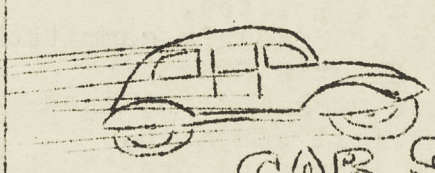
(this report is not complete)

LOCAL RESIDENT PASSES AWAY:

It is with regret that we learn of the death of good friend Mr. H.I. Ivey of 171 San Benito Road late on Tuesday night.



THE GIRL SCOUTS REPORT:

The second of July was a happy day for ten Girl Scouts of Troop 51. It was the day of departure for Camp Wasibo, in the Santa Cruz Mountains. Attending session no. one from Brisbane, were; Elaine Hite, Ann Jorgensen, Marilyn Delbon, Madeline Santiago, Jo Ann Rhend, Carolyn Higgins, Louise Sousa, Donna Jones, Francis Smith and Linda Walker.

The camp program is a leisurely, happy one. But "chock-full" of things to do--such as hiking, crafts, explorations, cookouts, campfires--both in the unit and up on top of the world at the BIG CIRCLE. Nature jaunts, dramatics, swimming, singing, and naturally, sleeping--and EATING. Director for this year is Miss Lois "Zippy" Little, former camp director at Woodhaven.

Troop 51 has 25 members. With the beginning of the fall session four new girls will be added and the troop will be divided into 3 different groups. This is the first year that the Girl Scouts of Brisbane have functioned under Council guidance. In January of this year Mrs. Muriel Dallauf, Mrs. Margaret Shipp, Mrs. Byron Jonson, and Mrs. Ellen Rhend met with the northern San Mateo County Federation, after which Brisbane was accepted into the South San Francisco neighborhood setup.

Mrs. Margaret Shipp and Mrs. Muriel Dallauf have moved away, and Troop 52 is without leadership. These two women should be given a vote of thanks for the interesting year of scouting which they made possible for this group of girls.

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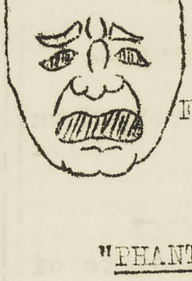
COMMUNITY CHEST PRESS RELEASE:

J. Neil Hanson, County Campaign Chairman for the Community Chest of San Mateo County, announced recently the appointment of Dexter Tight, Dr. Carl D. Denninghoven, MD., G.W.Proud, and William L. Goggin, as members of his county Chest Campaign Committee.

Members of Hanson's committee met with the Chest's Executive Committee last week and outlined plans for the fall campaign.

Geo. H. Atkinson, President of the County Chest, said that with the help of the Red Feather Committee's in each city or area, the campaign organization is far ahead of last year. Organized employee solicitation in firms [illegible] ten or more employees will be stressed this fall more than ever before.



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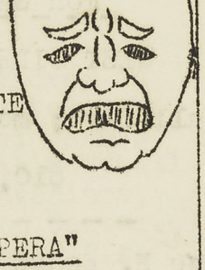

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LOCAL THEATER HOLDS AMATEUR SHOW:

Max Liss's first amateur contest in the Brisbane area took place Wednesday night, July 11th, at the local theater. Local talent has not yet come forward to audition for these shows, so all five contestants in Wednesday night's show were from out of town. Winner of the first event was Miss Natalie Gould, whose clever pantomime ala "Doodles & Spider" was a work of art--with her "Hooray, hooray, I'm going away--with the man in the little white coat" bringing down the house. Second place went to little Carmalita Angaloni for her authentic castonet-clicking Spanish dances. Other contestants were singer Margaret Robbins; accordianist Pat Jaifree'; and pianist Larry Ephran. In your editor's humble opinion Larry Ephran's piano playing was by far the most professional act, and was the only one called back for two encores.

A very small amount of people showed up for this stage appearance, which is a shame, for these amateurs have obviously worked hard for the opportunity to appear here. We suggest that Brisbane's own talent appear on these shows in the future, and that Brisbane's showgoers attend and give their support.

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DID YOU KNOW: that last Tuesday night was a dark night for Brisbane, with three of our citizens passing away on the same night? We will endeavor to have full particulars in next week's Dyline.

that this Saturday night there will be one of the bi-monthly dances at the Legion Hall?

that the Dyline will have to go up to 10¢ per copy in August, in order to keep on in business?

SEE YOU NEXT WEEK.